## **ABSTRACT**

A system, method and apparatus for adjustable performance monitoring in a relational environment. The system can include a registry of related applications, at least two performance monitors communicatively linked to one another and coupled to respective related applications listed in the registry, and a set of adjustable monitoring parameters for each of the performance monitors. The system further can include a policy engine coupled to at least one of the performance monitors and configured to process a policy for defining an adjustment of a corresponding set of the adjustable monitoring parameters based upon an indication received from a communicatively linked one of the performance monitors.